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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicant brings to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 forms. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application. Accordingly, Applicant does not believe that a fee is due with the filing of this paper.

The present application is a divisional application of Application 09/697,149 (filed October 27, 2000) which is a continuation application of Application 09/038,946 (filed March 12, 1998) now abandoned. Information Disclosure Statements for Applications 09/697,149 and 09/038,946 were filed on March 7, 2001 and October 7, 1998 respectively. Copies of the PTO-1449 forms filed with these Information Disclosure Statements are attached. The Examiner's attention is respectfully directed to the art of record in these prior applications and thus, no references are being submitted.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and evidence that consideration by making appropriate notations on the attached form. This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that each or all of the listed documents are material or constitute prior art. If the Examiner applies any one of the documents as prior art against any claim in the application, and Applicant determines that the cited document does not constitute prior art under United States law, Applicant reserves the right to present to the office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such document.

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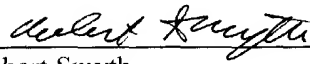
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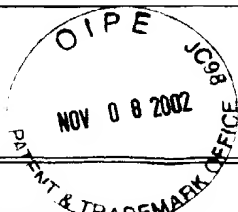
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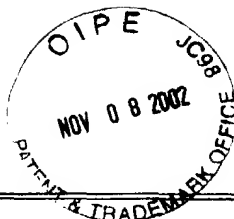
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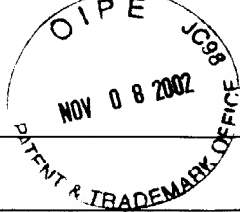


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